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WHY A GOVERNOR'S STAFF?

Many old fashioned people were delighted when the governor-elect of Indiana announced his intention of restoring that ancient and honorable institution, the governor's staff of colonels to this great and glorious state. During two democratic administrations the capitol has lacked the blue and gold splendor, the clanking swords, not to leave out the dashing colonels themselves. A high honor for high-minded souls the colonelcy brought joy to many a patriot, a token of regard that well may be cherished even unto the fourth generation.

It is good to see the false pretensions of the democratic party put aside and to hear that Mr. Goodrich loves a bit of show and isn't afraid to say so. The why of a governor's staff is admirably set forth by the editor of the Muncie Press, himself the proud bearer of a colonel's title, the result of a well placed honor of Governor Durbin's. Attend to the Muncie colonel's wisdom:

"Governor Goodrich will have a staff. Why not? Some say it is a useless ornament. So is a dress suit, yet it is customary. Senator Joe Bailey used to ridicule dress suits. His vanity ran to enormous hats and long ambrosial locks. In this respect Joe was like a lot of other people. Not having a governor's staff is a pose, first adopted by Thomas K. Marshall, who runs to French titles. Why, we inquire a Mansard hat with stove polish on it? Tom may put his feet on the vice president's desk and squirt tobacco juice at the senate chamber ceiling, but the imported stove pipe lids he wears between campaigns proves that he really aspires to be something more than a store box statesman. Always be suspicious of the fellow who makes a loud noise about being one of the common people. He usually enjoys a dress parade better than anybody else."

TWO JEWISH GOVERNORS.

Two Jewish governors were elected November 7th. One of them will preside over Utah, dominated by the Mormons up to the present time, and the other over Idaho, having also a large Mormon population. In each instance the Mormons made a fight against them, and the "Gentiles," as the Mormons class everybody outside of their church, were arrayed against the church of Brigham Young.

There have been other Jewish governors of American states, however, so the last election did not break a precedent as far as that was concerned. But it broke a precedent in Utah, where no man has ever been elected governor who was opposed by the Mormons.

There is not a large Jewish population in either of the states where the Jewish governors were elected—and that is the main point. It shows as nothing else could, the freedom from race or religious prejudice that exists in this country. For had there been prejudice neither of the Jews could have been elected, since their people are in a small minority in both Idaho and Utah.

With a justice upon the bench of the supreme court of the United States, with two Jews serving as governors of states, with a Jew representing this nation in an old-world court, there isn't any prejudice against the Jew manifested in American politics. Which is as it should be; which is as it must always be. If there is to be religious prejudice in the world, let it exist in the old world, not in this world, where people have established their homes and their institutions upon broader lines than religious prejudice.—Dayton News.

Random Things and Flings

TURKEY speculators had no chance to be thankful.

EIGHTY-SIX dead in hunting accidents. And yet some people are complaining about Mexican atrocities.

"INDIANA mayors band to fight food cost."—Headline. Demand that your mayor cease being a pacifist.

OF A certain girl who is about to get married it is said she has no extravagant tastes save wanting an egg for breakfast.

WHAT'S become of the old-fashioned man who used to save and dry lemon and orange peel and carry them about in his pocket to chew when ever he felt like it?

PITTSBURGH steel magnate gave dinner to fifty friends the other night that cost \$100 a plate. In the good old days of low living costs a steel king only had to pay out \$50 a plate.

THE more we see the inability of the republic to protect people from food speculators the more we think that maybe George Washington was wrong in not turning this country into a monarchy.

ANYHOW cheer up. There's a bright.

side to this high cost of turkeys. You are not bothered with warmed over turkey today nor will you have turkey hash tomorrow.

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Day it was rather a quiet week in Gary construction circles. The only thing doing was the asking of bids for \$5,000,000 worth of new rolling mill buildings.

ACCORDING to the Marion Star it is bad enough that England is opening our letters, but in Indiana the English sparrows have been raiding the rural mail boxes.

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couple down the county writes in to ask if they can get married on \$15 a day?

WAS Mayor Johnson's action and all the court fuss and fussing merely a part of the "Birth of a Nation's" press agent department?

GRIFFITH

Street Commissioner Dutton has men at work on a new street in the north-east part of town. The new street will connect 145th Avenue with Ridge road. A new bridge has already been built across the Katy Marsh ditch.

The new Griffith Meat Market is now open for business on Junction Avenue, opposite postoffice. Trinen & Supinski, dealers in first class meats, poultry, game, oysters, can goods, etc.—121111.

Mrs. Brewer of Dyer, visited at the home of Mrs. J. Ferguson, the past week.
Mrs. P. C. Tarrant was a Hammond visitor yesterday.
Mrs. Ed Dutton of Roas, who has been at the home of her mother, Caroline Dutton, for a couple of weeks, returned home yesterday.

ST. JOHN

Mrs. Jacob Spanier was a Hammond visitor on Tuesday.

Roy Weaver has moved into his home which he purchased recently from Mrs. Henry Soelker.

Mrs. Frank Scheidt and sons Bernard and John, spent Wednesday with relatives at Hammond.

The town board will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday evening. Paul Muebach was a Hammond visitor on Wednesday.

Frank Patterson, of Crown Point, has accepted a position with Gerlach Bros. here.

The Jen. Schmal house is now the only vacant house to rent in town.



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— YOU CAN HAVE IT PETHEY DEAR, BUT I WISH YOU'D TELL ME WHAT YOU WANT IT FOR.

— GEE WHIZ — YOU WOULDN'T UNDERSTAND IF I DID TELL YOU — COME ON WHERE'S THE MONEY — HURRY IT UP.

HOLY SMOKES! — CLEANED OUT — "CONSOLIDATED BONE'S DOWN!"

STOCKS & BONDS

MABEL "CONSOLIDATED BONE" WENT DOWN TODAY AND I MADE TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS ON IT — AND JUST THINK UNCLE PETHEY IS GOING TO MAKE A LOT OF MONEY ON SOMETHING — HE TOLD ME SO.